

Louisiana Housing Finance Agency

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Walter O. Guillory and seconded by Commissioner Jerome Boykin, Sr.

RESOLUTION

A resolution naming the community center of the agency-owned Village de Jardin the "Wayne E. Woods Community Center", after Mr. Wayne E. Woods, Chairman of the Louisiana Housing Finance Agency Board of Commissioners from April 2006 to December 2009.

WHEREAS, Mr. Wayne E. Woods served as a member of the Louisiana Housing Finance Agency ("Agency") Board of Commissioners ("LHFA Board") from February 2004 through December 2009; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Woods was elected by his peers on the LHFA Board to serve as the Chairman of the LHFA Board each year of his service, beginning April 2006 and thereafter throughout his period of service; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Woods made significant impact on the Agency's ability to provide affordable housing and energy-efficiency opportunities in the State resulting in, among other things, the provision of approximately 38,000 units of affordable housing during his tenure; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Woods evidenced special interest and energy into the rebuilding of the state's housing stock lost due to Hurricanes Katrina and Rita; and

WHEREAS, Hurricane Katrina inflicted severe damage to the Agency-owned properties in New Orleans East; namely, Gaslight Apartments, located at 8800 South Service Road, New Orleans, such that the complex was deemed 100% replaceable by FEMA, the cost of replacement to be provided by FEMA; and

WHEREAS, under Mr. Woods' chairmanship, Gaslight Apartments was redesigned and was determined to be rebuilt as "Village de Jardin"; and

WHEREAS, the Agency's Board of Commissioners and staff have resolved to express deepest gratitude to Mr. Woods for his excellent service as a member of and especially as Chairman of the Board of Commissioners and to acknowledge his active involvement in the significant accomplishments of the Agency.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners of the Louisiana Housing Finance Agency, the governing authority of said Agency, hereby resolve to name the community center of the Agency-owned Village de Jardin the "Wayne E. Woods Community Center", after Mr. Wayne E. Woods, Chairman of the Louisiana Housing Finance Agency Board of Commissioners from April 2006 to December 2009.

This resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS:

Allison A. Jones, Donald P. Vallee, J. Mark Madderra, Guy

T. Williams, Mayson H. Foster, Michael L. Airhart, Tyrone

A. Wilson, Walter O. Guillory, Jerome Boykin, Sr.

NAYS:

ABSENT:

John N. Kennedy, Susan W. Sonnier, Joseph M. Scontrino,

III, Katie Anderson, Elsenia Young, Neal P. Miller

And the resolution was declared adopted on this, the 10th day of February, 2010.

Chairman

Secretary

STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF EAST BATON ROUGE

I, the undersigned Secretary of the Board of Commissioners of the Louisiana Housing Finance Agency, do hereby certify that the foregoing two (2) pages constitute a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by said Board of Commissioners on February 10, 2010 entitled, "A resolution naming the community center of the agency-owned Village de Jardin the "Wayne E. Woods Community Center", after Mr. Wayne E. Woods, Chairman of the Louisiana Housing Finance Agency Board of Commissioners from April 2006 to December 2009."

IN FAITH WHEREOF, witness my official signature and the impress of the official seal of the Agency on this, the 10th day of February, 2010.

Secretary

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